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COMPOUNDS THAT TARGET tRNA SPLICING ENDONUCLEASE AND USES OF SAID COMPOUNDS AS ANTI-PROLIFERATIVE AGENTS

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS MISSING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) ("Notification") mailed May 12, 2006 in connection with the above-identified application, Applicant submits herewith the following: (1) a return copy of the Notification; (2) a stamped return receipt postcard evidencing receipt by the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("USPTO") of the executed Declaration, and a Transmittal of Declaration; and (3) courtesy copies of the Declaration for Non-Provisional Patent Application executed by Christopher R. Trotta on December 14, 2005, and the Transmittal of Declaration filed on March 8, 2006.

Applicant respectfully submits that an executed Declaration, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), was submitted to the USPTO on March 8, 2006. This submission is evidenced by the attached copy of the stamped return receipt postcard.

As the executed Declaration was the only item required to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371, Applicant respectfully submits that the date of completion of all 35 U.S.C. 371 requirements is March 8, 2006. See MPEP § 1893.03(b).

It is estimated that no fee is required. However, if any fee is required, please charge any such required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013.

Entry of the foregoing remarks into the record is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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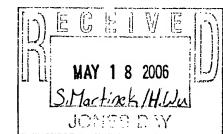
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION.

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The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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The stamp of the Patent Office hereon may be taken as an acknowledgment of the date stamped of the following:

- (1) Transmittal of Declaration; and
- (2) Executed Declaration.

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TRANSMITTAL OF DECLARATION

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(a), Applicant submits herewith a Declaration for Non-Provisional Patent Application, executed by Christopher R. Trotta on December 14, 2005. No fee is believed due; however, should a fee be required, please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Declaration be made of record in the file of the above-identified application.

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Enclosure